

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT Western District of Kentucky

Public Notice for Reappointment of Incumbent Magistrate Judges

The current terms of office for United State Magistrate Judge James D. Moyer and United States Magistrate Judge Dave Whalin, Louisville Divisions, are due to expire on April 28, 2012, and July 25, 2012, respectively. The U.S. District Court is required by law to establish a panel of citizens to consider their reappointments to a new eight-year term.

The duties of a magistrate judge in this court include the following: (1) preliminary proceedings in criminal cases; (2) trial and disposition of misdemeanor cases; (3) various pretrial matters and evidentiary proceedings on delegation from a district judge; and (4) trial and disposition of civil cases upon consent of the litigants.

Comments from members of the bar and the public are invited as to whether the incumbent magistrate judges should be recommended by the panel for reappointment by the court and should be directed to:

Vanessa L. Armstrong Clerk of Court U.S. District Court 601 W. Broadway, Room 106 Louisville, KY 40202

Comments must be received by October 20, 2011, close of business.